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REPLY TO ATTENTION OF:

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VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

July 18, 2011

Mr. Mitch Adelman Michigan DEQ Remediation Division 301 E. Louis Glick Highway Jackson, MI 49201-1556

RE: Request for State Applicable and Relevant and Appropriate Requirements

(ARARs) for the Blissfield Cannery Site in Blissfield, Lenawee County, MI

Mr. Adelman:

This letter requests that the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality identify all Applicable, Relevant, and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs) for the potential upcoming removal actions at the Blissfield Cannery Site in Blissfield, Lenawee County, Michigan. Any State ARARs identified in a timely manner for this removal action will be complied with to the extent practicable.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) is in the process of preparing a funding package addressing the removal actions at the Sites. These removal actions will include the removal of liquids and debris containing hazardous materials. I will continue to update you on the status of both the U.S. EPA funding process, as well as the on-going enforcement investigation progress.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact me at (734) 692-7686.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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On-Scene Coordinator

CC: Beverly Kush, Chief, ERB-Section 2

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